

F. J. WELLBORN, Sworn for the State. I know Mrs. Leo Frank and Rabbi David Marx when I see them. I also know an old negro woman who sells lunches by the name of Mary Rich, she having sold lunches near my place of business. Sometime recently I saw talking to this negro woman, Mary Rich, Mrs. Leo M. Frank, Rabbi David Marx and two other men. I don't know the other men were. I moved over as near as I could get to these people and stood as close as I could without attracting attention. I did not hear anything that anybody said, except what Mrs. Frank said to Mary Rich and what one of the two unknown men said at the conclusion of the discussion.

A great deal was said because they talked to her for about an hour. I remained there listening about thirty minutes. I heard Mrs. Leo M. Frank, among other things say, to Mary Rich, "If you will sign this affidavit, you will take the rope from around my husband's neck." Mary Rich said in reply to that "I could not tell a lie". Mary Rich finally refused to sign the paper, and as they went to leave one of the unknown men said to her tearing off a piece of paper which was in his hand, "Here keep this paper, and when you get in trouble you may know the cause of it. The piece of paper is hereto attached. I examined this paper carefully and it resembles in every respect the paper torn off by the unknown man on the occasion above set out and left with Mary Rich, and is the same piece of paper there torn off. Mary replied that she couldn't see how she could get into trouble by telling the truth. This is only a portion of the conversation I heard. This conversation occurred Monday, April 13, 1914.
(Attached is a piece of paper)